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WEATHER REPORT

Snow tonight and Friday; not so cold.
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Sun rises 6:53, sun sets, 5:36.

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TRYING TO REACH A COMPROMISE

Conferees on Enabling Act Held Meeting Behind Closed Doors.

A SPECIAL SESSION.

Finance Committee of Both Houses Agree on Plans—Twelve Delegates and Eight Senators to Serve.

(Special Dispatch to the Gazette)

Richmond, Va., Feb. 12.—After one hour's session this morning the conference committee on the enabling act adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning when it is expected they will report the measure as agreed upon in conference. Rumor has it that the "local option" clause has been eliminated and that the beer and wine provisions were retained.

Richmond, Feb, 12—The join conference committee appointed fron the Senate and House of Delegates to draft a compromise enabling act, worked for two hours behind closed doors yesterday afternoon, and adjourned at 5:30 o'clock without making a report. The committee held another meeting at 9 o'clock this morning.

"There is nothing to be made public," said Judge Martin Williams, patron of the enabling act, and one of the conferees to the reporters who began plying him with questions when he emerged from the committee room "We held a meeting which lasted from 3:30 o'clock until now, and we will meet again at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning. That is all I can say"

The committee held its conference in the office of Lieutenant-Governor J. Taylor Ellyson, on the Senate side, and the full membership was present. Newspaper men were excluded. Committee members declined last night to say which of their number presided as chairman. The committee is composed of Senators Holt, Mapp and Echols, and Delegates Oliver, Williams and Barley.

A pledge of silence as to the proceedings of the meeting had evidently been exacted of all the conferees, since three of the members who were approached last night declined to have anything to say. Delegate Oliver declined even to confirm the information given out by Judge Williams, and said that it would be impossible to obtain a fuller report from any of the conferees.

After a joint conference yesterday morning the House and Senate Finance Committees voted to report to their respective houses a resolution for a special committee of twenty members to draw a new plan of taxation, this committee to submit its report to a special session of the General Assembly, which Governor Stuart will be asked to call for the second Wednesday in January, 1915.

DANCE AS BRIDESMAID DIES

Cold Starting During Festivities Fatal in Few Hours.

Scranton, Pa, Feb, 12—While guests at the wedding of Miss Anna Lentowski to Jacob Koza were making merry over the event with dancing and song, her sister Mary, the bridesmaid died in a room on the second floor, while the guests below were in ignorance of her serious condition.

The ceremony took place in the morning and immediately after the bridal party and guests started the festivities. Mary joined in the celebration and, becoming heated from too much dancing, warked out in the cold air. As the afternoon wore on she contracted a heavy cold and high fever, and retired to her room.

A relative walking into the room to inquire as to her condition found the girl lying across the bed dead.

G. W. Francis will have at his stand in the market tomorrow (Friday) fresh shad, Potomac river black bass, Spanish mackerel, flounders, butterfish, trout, halibut, Potomac herring, perch, also Norfolk oysters shucked at stand. Phones: Bell, 735, Home, 149.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Five persons were drowned when the Mississipi river packet Gem, was destroyed by fire Tuesday night opposite Habnville, 40 miles from New Orleans.

Hans Schmidt was sentenced yesterday to die in the electric chair during the week beginning March 23, for the murder of Anna Aumuller.

Two persons were burned to death early yesterday when the residence of Dr. C. C. Tyler, near Millville, W. Va., was destroyed by fire.

Mobile, Ala., Feb. 12.—President Huerta, of Mexico, has bought 10,000 rifles and 50,000 rounds of ammunition from a gun company at Montgomery for shipment to Vera Cruz through this port, according to the announcement today by Robert Gayon, Mexican consul here. A dispatch from Montgomery confirmed confirmed the sale.

The Norwegian steamer Fjellwhich made a mysterious trip to Vera Cruz, and returned in ballast three weeks ago, is here, waiting, it is believed for a cargo of arms.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 12.—The Mexican federal gunboat Zaragosa, which arrived here yesterday, fired a salute of 21 guns when she passed up the Mississippi river past Jackson Barracks, but the greeting was not returned by the United States troops. The Zaragosa's band also played Mexican airs.

Officer Philo Rosebre, of Philadelphia, arrived here today for the purpose of conducting Harvey Timbers, colored, to that city, where he is to answer the charge of stealing about five hundred dollars' worth of merchandise. The officer left with his prisoner.

FIRES COST $700,000,000

Yearly Bill in Damage and Loss of Business; 50 per cent. Preventable

New York, Feb 12 —The organization was announced here yesterday of the American Society for Fire Prevention, with the object of carrying "an aggressive and militant campaign for fire prevention into all parts of the United States.

The society places the annual fire loss in the United States at more than $200,000,000, irrespective of the loss of business and wages, which is estimated at $500,000,000.

"Fully 75 per cent. of the losses," say the announcement, "are due to non-compliance with, or non-enforcement of, the most ordinary principles of fire prevention. Ninety per cent. of all the fires are unnecssary."

Prominent engineers, architects, labor leaders and social service workers are named among the supporters and officers of the organization.

The first state dinner was given last evening in the executive mansion by Governor of Virginia and Mrs. Stuart in honor of members of the general assembly. The dining-room table was arranged with an exquisite centerpiece of spring blossoms, and it was a very handsome affair in every detail.

The Governor and Mrs. Stuart received in the blue room. Among those present were Mr. J. Fred Birrelief of Alexandria.

PREACHES HELL FIRE.

Mrs. White Says Tangoists Win Admiration of the Devil.

"Of all the sinners that ever won the admiration of his satanic majesty tango dancers are worst." says Mrs. Alma White, editor of Pillar of Fire, the official organ of the Pentecostal Union, also known as the Holy Jumpers.

"The tango is only a hypocritical excuse for things too shameful to discuss. Those who dance it may expect the fullest fury of hell fire and brimstone.

"Since many of our ministers have publicly proclaimed their belief that hell exists only in the conscience, Christianity has received a fearful setback

"The only way to win those back to the fold who have sidestepped is to preach hell and damnation to them. Hell, which is a very real place, is located in the center of the earth, so that the spirits of the wicked may be easily dropped in when they are buried."

Mrs. White arrived in New York recently from England, where she bought land for her peculiar sect.

CRUTCHFIELD RULES ON EVELYN

Woman of International Notoriety Arrested in Richmond Theatre.

RELEASED BY JUDGE.

Disappointed Crowds Gather at Theatre and Police Court Anxious to Get Glimpse of Mrs. Thaw.

Richmond, Feb, 12—After hearing a dozen or more witnesses for the prosecution and defense, Police Justice Crutchfield last night at 6:05 o'clock held that there was no law under which Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, wife of the slayer of Stanford White, could be prohibited from appearing on the stage of the Academy of Music and he promptly dismissed the charge that her public performance was an "outrage to public decency and a detriment to public morals". The result was that Mrs. Thaw appeared last night at the Academy, and her appearance was witnessed by an audience which taxed the capacity of the house.

Despite the notification by Mayor George Ainslie that the appearance of Mrs. Thaw would be prohibited, the management of the Academy at the matinee yesterday directed Mrs. Thaw to carry out her performance. At the conclusion of her first dance, which ended at 3:40 o'clock ,she was arrested by Chief of Police Werner, who had gone to the playhoue armed with a warrant he had sworn out before Magistrate J. A. Purdle. It charged that she did "unlawfully appear in the Academy of Music in a play or public performance, thereby outraging public decency and to the detriment of public morals, and to the great damage and common nuisance of all citizens of this Commonwealth."

Mrs. Thaw had been on the stage barely three minutes when Major Werner appeared in the wings and signalled her to stop. The curtain was lowered, and Major Werner crossed the stage to where she awaited him. He accompanied her to her dressing-room and there formally placed her under arrest, after reading the warrant to her. Major Werner promptly paroled her in the custody of her counsel, H. M. Smith, Jr. and Allen G. Collins, for her appearance before Justice Cruthfield at 4 o'clock.

Many in the audience, of usual matinee proportions, were aware that Mrs. Thaw had been taken in custody and flocked to the stage entrance under the impression that she would be brought out and taken to a police station in a patrol wagon. Their numbers were greatly swelled by curious persons who had congregated about the playhouse, but all were disappointed when Mrs. Thaw did not come out escorted by officers of the law

At 4 o'clock Messrs Smith and Collins representing Mrs. Thaw, went to Police Court, and in a few minutes the small courtroom was filled with hundreds of men anxious to get a glimpse of "the most talked-of woman in America." They were disappointed,however, for Mrs. Thaw did not appear. She was represented by her attorneys and remained at her hotel while her case was being heard.

The decision of the court was followed by some applause and a number took opportunity to shake the judge's hands on their way out.

Norfolk, Feb. 12—Harvey M. Dickson, chairman of the Police Committee of the Board of Control, stated that there would be no interference on the part of the city authorities with the performance of Mrs. Evelyn Thaw as long as the performance is not an immoral one. The advetised reputation of the principal will not be considered. This decision was reached after consultation with the City Attorney following a protest from the Methodist ministers.

A CARD.

I appreciate and kindly thank our gallant firemen for their noble services that they did on the fire adjoining my property.

Yours respectfully,
W. H. HELLMUTH.

FRIGATE CONSTELLATION

Famous Old Ship to Be Brought to Washington.

Removal of the famous old frigate Constellation from the naval training station at Newport R. I. to a permanent location in the Potomac River near the Washington monument and the Lincoln memorial, is proposed in a bill favorably reported yesterday by the House naval affairs committee The committee's action was practically unanimous. Passage of the bill seems likely

The bill also provides that the ship shall be restored and taken to Baltimore for exhibition next September at the Star-Spangled Banner centennial at Fort McHenry.

The Constellation is the oldest ship in the American navy, ranking with the old frigate Constitution, which was restored and taken to the Boston navy yard for exhibition purposes.

Recommendation that the old vessel be stationed at Washington permanently had been made by Secretary Daniels and Rear Admiral Victor Blue chief of the bureau of navigation, the idea being that it can be inspected by thousands of tourists every year. The cost of refitting the ship will be $50,000.

The Constellation was built in accordance with recommendations made by President George Washington. In the spring of 1794 he was authorized by Congress to provide four frigates for the protection of American merchantmen from Algerian corsairs. The Constellation was designed by Joshua Humphreys, of Philadelphia, and was built at Baltimore under the supervision of Capt. Thomas Truxtun.

BIBLE CONFERENCE.

Large Gathering at the M. E. Church South, Last Night.

The Bible conference was largely attneded last evening at the M. E. Church South, where Dr. Frank N. Palmer, of Winona College, delivered a very fine address. His general theme was the Bible—the book of books. He said many consider the Bible a dull and uninteresting book. Dr. Palmer made the book of great interest as he beautifully and forcefully presented eight lines of reasoning. It is interesting in the mechanism, in the Orientalism, phraseology, prophecy, history, law, story and salvation. Dr. Palmer made it the fitting climax to his brilliant address in the fact that the Bible is pre-eminently the book of salvation, teaching sin and its awful consequences and the glory of salvation through faith in Christ's sacrifice.

This evening, Dr. S. D. Gordon, widely known as the author of "Quiet Talks" and many books on devotional subjects will speak. He is one of the most popular writers in this country or Great Britain.

DISORDERLY VISITOR.

Another Washingtonian Starts Trouble in the Northeastern Section of the City.

W. F. Bennett, of Washington, paid a visit to a house on Princess street, near Lee, last night, and while in the place started a fight with a companion named E. T. Stevens.

Sergeant Scott and Officer Roland entered the house and took both men in custody. Stevens left collateral for his appearance this morning.

When the men were placed in the dock inmates of the house testified that Bennett brought on the trouble and that Stevens did all he could to quiet his disorderly companion.

Justice Caton dismissed Stevens, but imposed a fine of $10 upon Bennett.

INVITATION ACCEPTED.

Friendship Veteran Fire Association Will Take part in Parade

A meeting of the Friendship Veteran Fire Association was held at their hall on south Alfred street last night, when it was resolved that the organization take part in the parade on the 23rd instant.

The old Friendship engine will be brought out on that occasion. The apparatus will be drawn by horses.

MARRIED.

On November 12, 1913, in this city, Thomas L. Curran and Hazel K. Black, of Newark, N. J.

Mount Vernon Council, Daughters of America, will meet tomorrow night

DARING ROBBERIES IN NEW YORK CITY

Gangsters Make Raid on East Side Cafe and Rob Patrons.

GET $4,000 IN CASH.

One Diner Stabbed—Police Capture Three of Gang—Invaders Carried Revolvers, Knives, Etc.

New York, Feb. 12.—East Side gunmen early today broke into the holdup game in western style when seven of them, armed with revolvers, slungshots and knives, "stuck up" and looted patrons of Tripoli restaurant of $4,000 in cash and jewels, and fatally stabbed Anthony Celentano as the result of a feud.

In a chase after the hold-up policemen captured three of the gunmen. Celentano and his wife, Marie, and the usual crowd of midnight diners, were seated at tables in the Tripoli when the gunmen walked in, ranged themselves about the walls of the little cafe and drew revolvers.

"There's that—," said one walking over to the table where Celentano who recently shot a gunman to death in Chinatown was sitting Instantly as Celentano, white with fear, arose the gunman plunged his knife several times into Celentano's side and abdomen, and he crumpled to the floor.

"That's all for that," said the gangster's leader. "Now you," turning to the horrified crowd, "hands up."

Every person in the place was then robbed. Raymond Perrette, the proprietor, lost the contents of his cash register and the bandits broke for the door. As they fled the women in the place screamed in chorus and Policemen, Callahan, O'Gorman and Carlin ran in. They bolted for the bowery up which the gunmen, separated,were in full flight. Each policeman captured a gunman. At the police station they gave their names as Silvia TagliaGamba, Leo Balianga and Antonio Santini.

Santini was identified as the man who stabbed Celentano,who,apparently dying, was rushed to St. Vincent's Hospital while the gangsters were placed in cells.

Only a small part of the booty captured by the gunmen was recovered the four who escaped apparently having most of the loot.

Special details of police immediately started to scour the lower East Side dens in search to round up the remainder of the gang.

SICKLES MAY BE RETURNED

Death of General's Housekeeper Gives Wife and Son New Hope.

New York, Feb, 12—While the body of Miss Alma Wilmerding, for years housekeeper and companion to General Daniel Sickles, is awaiting interment tomorrow, Mrs. Sickles and the general's son, Stanton, are eagerly awaiting and hoping for reconciliation with him. In an interview Stanton Sickles declared that both he and his mother were eager to be reconciled to General Sickles. The son, whose friend, Prince Pignatelli D'Arragon, is staying with him at a hotel, said that the general must make the first advances.

"I came to this country with my mother from Madrid," said Stanton Sickles, "She, as you know, is Spanish. We left our native country, our castle with its priceless treasures on a great and noble mission—the reconciliation of my mother and father. I do not care to speak ill of the dead. But this, in duty bound, I must say: Miss Wilmerding influenced my father's life to the great disadvantage of our own personal fortunes."

GRIFFIN.

In sad but loving remembrance of my dear father, JOHN A. GRIFFIN, who departed this life February 12, 1911.

Dear is the grave where our loved one is laid;
Sweet is the memory that never shall fade.
Roses may wither, leaves fade and die;
Tho' others forget you, never shall I.

By his loving daughter.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Washington Memorial Lodge of Perfection, No 7, Scottish Rite Masons will hold a meeting Friday night in Masonic Temple.

The women of the congregation of St. Rita's Catholic Church, Alexandria county, will give a masked ball on Friday evening in Odd Fellows Hall.

The Civil Service Commission announces the following examinations to be held in Alexandria on the dates named: assistant chief, bureau of chemistry, March 2; laboratory technician, March 4; inspector of mechanical and electrical engineering, March 4; clerk, qualified as inspector of furniture, March 4; field forecast agent, March 4; pulp and paper engineer, March 9th.

The board of managers of the Children's Home will meet at the home to-night at 7:30 o'clock The executive committee are requested to meet promptly at 7 o'clock to night.

A delegation of members of James W. Jackson Council, No. 55, Junior Order of United American Mechanics last night went to Washington and witnessed a class initiation. They were accompanied by a number of members of Belle Haven Council.

An entertainment was given last night at Lee Camp Hall for the benefit of the Junior Auxiliary of Grace Episcopal Church.

The Old Dominion Boat Club will hold a meeting at 8 o'clock to-night at the rooms of the chamber of commerce, when a number of matters of importance will be up for consideration.

Spring shad, fresh herring, Spanish mackerel, salt water croakers, butter fish, halibut, haddock and trout, for sale the balance of the week by Geo. E. Price & Co. 12 1.t

BASKET BALL.

Cardinals Bee Trim Fort Myers Midgets 23 to 13.

The Cardinal Bee Basketball team defeated the Fort Myer Midgets in a hard fought game, the score being 23 to 13. The feature of the game was the all round playing of the Bee team.

Line up:

Lyman, Capt.	L. F.
Bram	R. F.
Ittner	C.
Carnell	L. G.
Baker	Mgr.
Turner	L. F.
Clark	R. F.
Echendon	C
Wood, Capt.	L. G.
Wise	R. G.

Sub: McCarthey for Baker.

MINSTRELS TOMORROW NIGHT.

Enjoyable Performance Will be Given in Westminster Building.

The program for the famous Friskee Jubilee Singers which will be given tomorrow night at the Westminster building contains many exceedingly interesting features.

With Prof. Mendelssohn Bischoff Paderewski as pianist, the finest of music is assured. Among the soloists appear the famous names of Mr. Abe Martin. The Misses Patti Black and Lucinda Chocolatedrop, Mr. Reliance Crews. Mr. Honey Boise Mr. Joseph Johnsing, Moses Short, Mr. Sambo Barebones, Mr. Dew Lockstader, Mr. Wm. Bryan Jennings.

The interlocutor will be Mr. Wm. Bryan Jennings, and the end men are Mr. Dew Lockstader, Mr. Honey Boise, Mr .Sambo Barebones,and Mr. Abe Martin.

Mrs. Emmeline Spankhurst will be present by permission of Mayor Fisher, and she will throw a few bricks and make a few hits.

Miss Topsy Turvy will give selections from grand opera.

Those who are interested in dancing will be glad of the opportunity to see the world famed dancing Mlle. Baby Deslys, direct from Paris (Kentucky), also the Southdown sisters in the Skiddy-mer-Rink dance. Any one of these artists is worth going miles to see and collectively they are—well, come and see for yourself.

Norfolk Fried Oysters at the Rammel Cafe.

EXCITING FIRE IN A TENEMENT

Murphy, Chief of Tammany Hall, Risks Life to Save Inmates.

$50 ARE RESCUED.

Democratic Leader Pays For Refreshments For People Who Had Been Turned into the Street by the Fire

New York, N. Y., February 12.—Braving clouds of smoke in an East Side tenement fire today, Charles F. Murphy, chief of Tammany Hall, broke into the limelight anew in the role of a fireman, aiding in rushing to the street 150 occupants of the building menaced by the flames.

Murphy, silk-hatted and fur-coated, puffed up and down the stairway of the tenement rousing the sleeping residents, herded them into the street, and then took the whole shivering crowd into a nearby restaurant where drinking coffee and munching sandwiches which Murphy paid for, the half clad throng watched through the windows while firemen worked to save their homes.

Murphy, with John E. McCoosy, his Brooklyn lieutenant, and special sessions Judge J. E. Moss, was riding up third avenue on a street car before dawn, when they saw the flames in the tenement. All three got into action at once. Later Murphy gave the credit to Moss.

"You want to remember," said the Tammany chief, "that he was the first to rouse the people. We went with him and made them go down stairs."

The three alarms brought a heavy fire force to the scene before the fire was controlled. One woman was burned.

The other tenants escaped and when Murphy was sure there were no fatalities he and his companions went home to bed.

PREPARATIONS FOR 23rd.

George Washington Birthday Association Holds Another Meeting Last Night.

Arrangements for hiring the bands that will participate in the parade in this city February 23, under the auspices of the George Washington Birthday Association, were completed at a meeting held last night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. Sixteen bands, including the government bands, will furnish music.

The contract for decorating the cross wires on King street with flags and pennants also was let.

It was announced that the majority of the merchants on King street, will decorate their places of business.

The association has chartered the steamer St. Johns to transport the government troops to and from Alexandria on the day of the parade.

As was stated in the Gazette, Dr. Cary Grayson, physician to President Wilson, has accepted an invitation to be present and witness the parade. An invitation, some time ago was extended President Wilson, and he has promised to come in the event he does not go to Chicago.

Posters announcing the parade and its features have been placed in stations on the Southern Railway between Alexandria and Charlottesville, also on the Harrisonburg branch and at trolley stations in Maryland.

SAMARIAN REBEKAH LODGE

An interesting meeting of Samarian Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., was held Tuesday night, on which occasion the newly-elected subordinate officers were installed by Deputy District Presidents Mrs. James H. Mansfield. At the close of the meeting the members repaired to the Young People's Building where a bountiful supper had been prepared for them by the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist Church.

In the Corporation Court today a decree was entered referring the case of W. E. Jones vs. Samuel Haney et al. to C. E. Corgan, special commissioner, for a report.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria-- Happenings in Society.

Mr. Robert S. Barrett, district deputy of the Elks for Virginia, has gone to Harrisonburg, Va., where he will pay an official visit to that lodge tonight. Mr. Barrett will dedicate the new Elk's Home at Staunton, Va., on the 19th. He will be assisted by a number of grand lodge officers from different sections of Virginia.

Mrs. Harrie Craig Ansley entertained at her home in Connecticut Avenue, Washington yesterday afternoon at one of the prettiest teas of the winter, in compliment to Miss Helen Bache Kimmell, daughter of Commander Harry Kimmell, U. S. N., and Mrs. Kimmell and Miss Lucy Virginia Gordon, of New York. The house was charmingly decorated with spring flowers against a background of palms. A long basket filled with tulips, jonquils, and narcissus formed the central decoration of the tea table, and ices and confections were in yellow. An orchestra played during the tea.

Assisting Mrs. Ansley in receiving was her sister, Mrs. J. B. Mohler. Mrs. John N. Speel and Mrs. Harry Kimmell presided at the table. Mrs. William Albert Smoot, Jr., of Alexandria, presided at the punch bowl. Among others assisting were Miss Anna Ansley, of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Hugh McGuire has cards out for a tea to meet Mrs. Hunter McGuire on Monday February 16th.

Mrs. D. Milton French entertained the "Kit Kats" Tuesday afternoon at her home in Cameron street. Those present were Mrs. Llewellyn Powell, Misses Dorsay Ashton, Georgie French Ellen Fawcett, Lola Ashton, Alice Anderton, Susie Fawcett, Mary Glenn Uhler, Nellie Uhler.

Mrs. and Mrs. Eugene Behrend, entertained a large number of their friends from this city at their home at the Warrington Apartment, 18 & U. St. N. W. Washington, D. C. last night.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, president of the Florence Crittenton Mission, is the guest of her sister Mrs. William Wight, 1902 Hanover avenue, Richmond, Va.

Miss Rose McDonald, of Alexandria another speaker at the suffrage hearing is the guest of Mrs. B. B. Valentine in Richmond.

DISORDERLY NEGRESS.

Was Hurling Bottles When Taken in Charge—Man Alleged Attempted to Have Rescue Her.

Late last night a young negress named Pauline Pinckney went on the rampage near a saloon in the northeastern section of the city. Special Officer Sisson started after the woman, who was hurling bottles and defiant. The special officer finding that the negress was bent on giving him as much trouble as possible, called Charles Sorrell to his assistance when a negro named John Taylor, according to the officer's statement, attempted to push Sorrell aside and take the prisoner from the men.

Taylor, was also placed under arrest and he and the woman were placed in the dock of the Police Court this morning

Taylor, in his defense, said he merely suggested that Sorrell was choking the woman and did not interfere in the arrest.

The Pinckney woman was fined $2.50 and Taylor was dismissed.

MUSICIANS TO MEET.

A meeting will be held at McBurney's Hall on next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock when a branch of the American Federation of Musicians will be organized. Already many of the musicians of the city have signified their intention of becoming identified with the organization. D. J. Larkin, of this city, is fostering the movement.

To the wanderer

Why wander from your own home town to our neighbor city?
The merchants here all need your trade, and 'tis something of a pity
Not to encourage home industry, for "By industry we thrive"
And you owe a duty to us in keeping things alive.
So patronize your friends at home, don't take your trade away.
It adds sunshine to our efforts and makes the harvest day
Yes, trade at home. Patronize the help your own city. Think of me when you need a Tailor.

John G. Henshaw

Merchant Tailor. 110 S. Washington Street.

AT YOUR SERVICE.

EXCITEMENT AT A FIRE

Blaze in Basement of Southern Office About Two O'clock This Morning

Shortly after two o'clock this morning employees in the Southern Railway office in the Cameron Apartment House, at the northwest corner of King and Alfred had their attention attracted to smoke which was filling the northern section of the building occupied by the company, and upon making investigation found that a fire was raging in the basement where most of the records of the company were deposited.

The blaze had gained dangerous headway, and a panic followed, most of those employed in the railway office rushed to the fire escapes and making their descent to the sidewalk.

Persons living in the Cameron were soon aware of what was going on, and although they did not make a precipitate escape, they prepared themselves for eventualities.

An alarm had been sounded and the fire department was soon on the ground and at work, but the fire was stubborn, being difficult to get at and nearly an hour was consumed in extinguishing the conflagration. Most of the books in the basement were destroyed or seriously damaged by water, while the flooring of the first story of the building was practically demolished.

Scenes in the neighborhood were thrilling and much consternation was manifest by people living close by, as a sharp northerly wind was prevailing at the time and the temperature was below the freezing point. The firemen, however, worked heroically and succeeded in confining the flames, greatly to the relief of many

Later the firemen were furnished with refreshments from the Cameron Lunch House; also by Mrs. W. H. Helmuth.

REBUILDING PIER.

Extensive Repairs Being Made at the Foot of Cameron Street.

Clark & Winston Co., are pushing the work of rebuilding the pier of the Mutual Ice Company at the foot of Cameron street, used as a landing place by the steamers carrying freight and passengers to Potomac river points, but it is said that it will be several days before it is completed. As has been stated, a new driveway for wagons from the street to the pier si being built; bunches of mooring and fender piles are being driven, and it is stated that a considerable portion of the flooring of the pier will be renewed before the wharf-building plant returns to Washington City to commence work on the dock walls at the navy yard

PLANS FOR NEW CHURCH.

Second Baptist Congregation to Erect Edifice at King and Peyton Streets.

Plans and specifications have been completed by W. P. Kerrick, architect, for the new building for the Second Baptist Church, to be erected at the corner of King and Peyton streets. A deed for the lot which was purchased several weeks ago was placed on record in the Corporation Court on Wednesday.

The building will be 40x80 feet in size and will front on King street. The cost will be approximately $10,000. On the first floor will be a Sunday school room and a class room and on the second floor the main auditorium.

Mr. C. Phillip Brawner continues seriously ill at his home in Duke street.

Notice of Administration.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late Ann M. Butler, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement with the undersigned, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts properly certified for payment.

CARROLL D. WOOLF,
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9	4	3
7	5	1
6	2	8

Rearrange numbers in each row so that total will be 15. To the two neatest correct answers will be given one lot free at Somerville, N. J. Contest closes February 22. James Realty Co., 2095 Webster Avenue, N. Y. City.

WOULD BORROW MONEY

Alleged Imposter Poses as Officer in Second Presbyterian Church of This City

Claiming that he was an officer in the Presbyterian Church in Alexandria, Va., a neatly dressed stranger, who gave his name as Hill, and who, from all accounts, seems to be swindling the clergy, applied to Rev. W. A. Hall, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, at Suffolk, Va., recently for a loan of $4.06. Mr. Hall offered to loan the desired amount provided he would leave some security, his watch or a handsome ring which the stranger wore.

To this he objected, and upon being questioned by Mr. Hall as to the names of the officers of the Alexandria Church, could give none. Finding that his caller was a fraud Mr Hall ordered him to leave.

The stranger has evidently met with no success here, as he also called on Rev. J. F. Coleman, rector of St. Paul's P. E. Church, to whom he claimed to have been an Episcopalian.

Mr. Coleman had read of a swindler answering his description and promptly ordered him to leave and then notified the police who are looking for a man answering the description given.

Several days ago a man of especially neat appearance walked into the grocery store of Mr. K. McGuire, at the corner of Main and Commercial Vvenue, Clifton Forge, Va., and presented the proprietor with a note signed Mrs. M. L. Goodman and requesting that Mr. McGuire cash a check for the bearer, stating that he was her nephew. Believing the note to be bon fide Mr. McGuire obliged the stranger who wrote a check on a Lynchburg bank. The check was sent in along with others and was returned by the cashier of said bank, stating that no such account was kept at that bank. Mr. McGuire then communicated with Mrs. Goodman, who said that she knew nothing whatever concerning the matter; that she had no nephew hereabouts and that the stranger presenting the note was a fraudulent person. The check was turned oved to Detective A. M. Richardson who is on the lookout for the swindler.

(Several Alexandria merchants were swindled by a sleek stranger about a week ago.)

POLICY RUNNER FINED.

Noah Green, Colored, Assessed $5(in The Police Courth This Morning.

Chief Goods and Officer Kerns yesterday arrested a negro named Noal Green on suspicion of being engaged in the policy business. When taken to court Green had a number of slips in his possession.

The accused was brought before the police court this morning, when, in answer to the charges brought against him, he said he found the slips. Justice Caton imposed a fine of $50.

POLICE COURT.

(Justice H. B. Caton, Presiding.)

Noah Green colored, charged with conducting policy, was fined $50.

Pauline Pinckney, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was fined $2.50. John Taylor, colored, charged with interfering with an officer in the discharge of his duty in attempting to rescue the woman, was dismissed.

A white woman, charged with assaulting a neighbor, was fined $5.

W. F. Bennett, charged withs assaulting E. T. Stevens was fined $10

E. T. Stevens, charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

Mary Grant, colored, charged with assaulting Bessie Lomax, was fined $5.00.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Public sale of all the Carriages Buggies, Horses and all other personal property connected with the Livery Business of the Mount Vernon Stables, Inc.

By virtue of the authority of the deed of trust bearing date the 15t day of June, 1912, executed by the Mount Vernon Stables, Incorporated, the said deed of trust being recorded in Liber No. 62, page 124, of the records of Alexandria City, Virginia; the undersigned trustee, at the request of the party therein secured will offer for sale on the premises at No. 115 North St. Asaph St Alexandria City, Virginia;

ON FRIDAY, FEBY. 13, 1914

All the following property, viz:

Eighteen Carriages, all Buggies, a Horses, all Harness, and all other personal property being a part of and connected with the Livery Business conducted by the said the Mount Vernon Stables, Incorporated, and owned by the said The Mount Vernon Stables, Incorporated.

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SUGGESTION THAT SHOULD BE HEEDED.

Considerable apprehension exists in Baltimore over the discovery of a number of cases of smallpox in that city, and the health authorities are doing everything possible to check the spread of the disease.

There are always sporadic cases of this loathsome disease in large cities, and occasionally cases are reported in Alexandria. The health department has at present three cases in widely-separted parts of the city, with which to contend, but these are enough to cause anxiety to certain persons who live in dread of this malady.

Smallpox to an alarming extent prevailed in Alexandria during the four years' civil war. It raged mostly among soldiers and negroes, and the cause was not difficult to understand. The former crowded into cheap and often dirty concert halls and circuses, while "contrabands," as they were called, swarmed in small quarters provided for them by the government.

It was no uncommon sight to see soldiers with scabs on their faces in badly-ventilated concert halls or in stationary circuses, where sanitary conditions were unknown.

There are reasons why extraordinary measures should be taken against smallpox in Alexandria as well as in Baltimore, and immediate attention should be given to places where miscellaneous crowds gather, as there is reason to believe that some inmates of infected houses manage to escape quarantine and mingle with other people.

During the winter of 1898-1899 there was an epidemic of smallpox in Alexandria, several hundred cases in one form or another being reported. Private watchmen were employed at that time for the purpose of enforcing quarantine on houses in which cases existed.

What has happened before is liable to happen again and too much care cannot be taken to prevent the repetition of scenes of by-gone years.

WHAT CAUSED THE EARTHQUAKE.

Professor Henry F. Reed, of John's Hopkins' University, who is described as "one of the leading authorities of the country on seismography," gives this interesting story of the earthquake which made itself felt on Tuesday:

From the information which I have a thand on the shocks felt I judge that it originated in Pennsylvania and extended north up the St. Lawrence valley. The occurrence of the shock should occasion no surprise. I know of no reason to expect an early repetition of the disturbances.

The Philadelphia Record, in commenting upon Prof. Reid's observations says:

With all due deference to the professor his prediction must be pronounced rash. Accepting his theory that Pennsylvania was responsible for shaking up Canada and New York, there is really every reason "to expect an early repetition of the disturbances." We venture to prophesy that the next severe shock will come in May and from that time on there will be spasmodic upheavals, culminating in a terrible cataclysm early in November. The effects of this will be widespread and are likely to be felt even through 1915 and 1916. Much valuable machinery will be ruined and put out of business.

Assuming as correct the Professor's theory of the Pennsylvania origin of the earthquake we would like to inquire if he has given full weight to the blowing up of Sage of Schwenkville on Monday evening. The immediate cause of this was one Benjamin Franklin, a gentleman of a scientific turn of mind, who, if alive, would be profoundly interesting in noting what a commotion his versatile character is still capable of producing among a certain class. The bursts of anger provoked by his genius are still earth shaking, and it seems not unlikely that the shock thus given startled the internal agitation that produced the seismic disturbance of Tuesday.

OFFICER KILLS ASSAILANT

Danville Policeman Shoots Negro Who Stabs Him in Resisting Arrest.

Danville, Va. Feb. 12—Persey Foster a negro was shot and killed by Police Officers W. C. Hall here Tuesday night at 10 o'clock. Hall is in the hospital with the muscle of his left arm severed, and a deep stab wound over the left breast. His condition, the physicians attending him say, is precarious.

Foster sought admission to a colored moving picture show on Patton street, when a police officer whose duty it is to see that good order prevails, refused the negro admittance Foster, with two other remonstrated an the officer seeing that the man was drunk, called to Officer Hall nearby and asked him to take the negro to jail. Just as Hall seized Foster he drew an open knife from his side-pocket, and made two vicious slashes at the officer. Hall reeled against the wall of the lobby to the theatre, and, drawing his Colt, fired two shots at the negro standing a few feet away from him.

The negro piled up over a box, and died in half an hour. Hall was hurried to the hospital. He lost much blood before he received assistance. Foster had the reputation of being a bad negro. He was to appear in court yesterday, on a charge of gambling. He was always in and out of jail.

THE ILL-FATAL MONROE.

Likely That Only Those Killed in Their Staterooms will be Found.

Norfolk, Feb. 12—Nearly two weeks have elapsed since the Old Dominion line Monroe sank at sea following collision off Hog Island with the Merchants and Miners' liner Nantucket but none of the bodies of the 41 persons who lost their lives as a result of the disaster has been found.

The Old Dominion Steamship Company has kept divers on the scene continuously since the accident searching for bodies in the sunken wreck.

The conclusion has been about reached that only those who were killed outright by the impact were caught in their staterooms and that the great majority of those who perished were drowned after taking to the water following the sinking of the Monroe. The bodies naturally sank. The undertow has been very strong. So strong that it has cut the sand on the bottom 90 feet below the surface. This undertow has, it is believed, taken the bodies to sea. Divers will be maintained on the scene, however, for some time yet.

The Merritt and Chapman Derrick and Wrecking Company's steamer Rescue, under charter by the Old Dominion Steamship Company, will today proceed to sea to relieve the J. Merrit at the scene of the wreck. The Merritt will go to New York.

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Norfolk Fried Oysters at the Rammel Cafe.

Interest in the distribution of buttons by the Corby Bakery some weeks ago is still growing.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Airy View Aapartment House Company, Incorporated will be held at Rooms 1 & 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, on Monday afternoon, February 23, 1914, at 2:30 o'clock.

B. W. PARKER, Secretary

Feb, 9th. t.d.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Parkwood Apartment House Company, Incorpratd will be held at Rooms, 1 & 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, on Monday afternoon February 23, 1914 at 2:15 o'clock.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Woodley Apartment House Company will be held at Rooms 1 & 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia on Monday afternoon, February 23 1914, at 2 o'clock.

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Stockholders' Meeting.

The regular annual stockholders' meeting of the Fidelity Storage Co. will be held at its office, 117 No. Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., Wednesday, February 11, 1914, at 3:00 p. m.

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P. M.— 12.10, 12.25x, 12.30, 12.50, 1.10, 1.25x, 1.30, 1.50, 2.10, 2.25x, 2.30, 2.50, 3.05, 3.25x, 3.35, 3.50, 4.10, 4.25, 4.30, 4.40, 4.55, 5.10, 5.25, 5.35, 5.50, 6.05, 6.20, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.15, 7.25, 7.36, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.10, 11.55.

A.M. Sundays—7.00, 7.35, 8.10, 8.20, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00, 11.20, 11.40.

Noon—12.00.

P. M.—12.20, 12.40, 1.00, 1.20, 1.40, 2.00, 2.20, 2.40, 3.00, 3.20, 3.40, 4.00, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, 5.20, 5.40, 6.00, 6.20, 6.40, 7.00, 7.20, 7.40, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.10.

Leave Alexandria for Mt. Vernon Week Days.—A. M.—5.35, 6.46, 7.56, 8.51, 10.25, 11.25, — P. M. — 12.25, 1.25, 2.25, 3.30, 4.40, 5.35, 6.30, 7.35, 8.50, 9.50, 10.50, 11.50.

SUNDAYS.—A. M.— 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30.—P. M.—12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.46, 10.16.

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Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:47 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington & Danville delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C. & O., No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:07 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points south to which scheduled to stop. First class coaches; Sleeping cars to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service. Stops at Calverton to let off Warrenton branch passengers.

10:57 A. M.—Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville and Greensboro. Sleeping car from Greensboro to Atlanta.

4:22 P. M.—Week day—limited for Warrenton, Charlottesville and Harrisonburg.

4.52 P. M., Daily — Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Columbus, Anniston, Birmingham. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta, and Birmingham, Dining car service, ouriat to California daily.

3:52 P. M.—Week day. Limited for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch, also for Warrenton. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:12 P. M.—Except Sunday—Local for warrenton.

6:12 P. M.—The Southern's Southeastern Limited, for Asheville, Columbia, Charleston, Aiken, Augusta, Savannah and Jacksonville. Through Pullman Drawing room sleeping cars, coaches, dining cars.

11:02 A. M.—Daily—Atlanta Special. Solid Pullman train, sleeping cars to Asheville, Charlotte, Atlanta and Macon. Dining Car Service.

10:27 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg.) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—New York, and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining Car Service.

4:27 A. M.—Daily—Memphis special. Sleeping car and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining Car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond, and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 10:17 a. m., 12:16, 3:22 5:17 (local) 8:27, 9:37, 10:07 p. m., daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 11:13 a m., daily except Saturday, when train leaves 2:18 p.m. This train runs through to Milford except Saturdays and Sundays.

NOTE:—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

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NEWS OF THE OLD DOMINION

INCREASE AMOUNT OF PENSION

Report Favorably Appropriation of $540,000

Richmond, Feb. 12.—The Barker-Stubbs pension bill, which carries an appropriation of $540,000 to be paid to Confederate veterans, was reported favorably Tuesday by the House Committee on Appropriations. This provides for an increase of about $60,000 over the pension appropriation of the last session.

Senator Rison, from the Committee for Courts of Justice reported favorably the bill providing that no juror in any city or county shall be required to serve as juror more than twice in any one calendar year. The bill has been before the Legislature many times, but it has never been enacted The bill is intended to eradicate the "professional" juror.

Senator Echols, chairman of the Finance Committee, reported favorably the bill which wholly prohibits and prevents the expenditure of any money, directly or indirectly, in employing lobbyists or sending any of the officers, faculty, directors or employes of any institution to which the State makes an appropriation, to appear in interest or behalf of such institutions before any committee of the Legislature.

There is one institution which last year expended the sum of $1,500 in sending its members to the General Assembly to urge an increase of public funds for maintenance and for new buildings.

Senator Cannon offered a bill which provides that every article made in penal institutions in Virginia and offered for sale at any point in the State shall be plainly marked stamped or designated to show where such goods are made. In case the goods are shipped from the State and offered for sale on their return and they are not marked, there is a penalty for such violation of the law.

The State Federation of Labor is actively supporting the measure.

HORSE DRAGS WOMAN BY HAIR.

Miss Pauline Jones in Serious Condition as Result of a Runaway.

Bluefield, W. Va., Feb. 12.—Nursing painful bruises about the head and body, Miss Pauline Jones, of Marion, Va., is in a serious condition at the home of C. L. Clark, whom she has been visiting, after being dragged 100 feet through the street by her hair by a horse and being afterward kicked by the animal.

While Miss Jones was walking down the street, a horse which has apparently escaped from a stable, grabbed her hair in its mouth and dragged her while she fought desperately to get loose and screamed at the top of her voice with pain. Mrs. M. L. Barrett rushed to Miss Jones' assistance and tried to frighten the animal off, but the horse reared on its hind legs and let loose of Miss Jones and knocked Mrs. Barrett down. Others rushed to the assistance of the two women and prevented their being trampled to death.

Serious disturbances have occurred in connection with the agitation against the ministry at Osaka, Japan. Mobs today stoned the tramcars and the revenue building. The disturbances are in part the outcome of the agitation for lower taxes.

JAIL ADDED TO KNOCKOUT

Constable Who Failed to Thrash Teacher Given Taste of Law.

Cape Charles Va. Feb 12—Sentence of a year for assault and $10 fine for disturbing the peace was passed on I. W. Baxter, constable of Capeville district, who undertook to horsewhip Professor J. A. Stone, principal of Cheriton High School, last Friday, but was knocked out in the attempt

Angry because his son had been punished for disorderly conduct, Baxter drove to the schoolhouse with his wife Friday, called for the principal and proceeded to horsewhip him. Professor Stone, a tall, sturdy athlete, knocked Baxter down, whereupon the constable drew his revolver and fired the bullet barely missing Stone's shoulder.

BURGLARS USE DYNAMITE

Roanoke Drug Store is Blown Open By Explosion.

Roanoke, Va., Feb. 12.—The iron safe in Kohen Brothers' drug store Monday night was blown open with dynamite and about $100 stolen.

The thieves apparently were old hands at the business. With an electric drill they bored into the lock, put in dynamite, and removed the lock as neatly as if it had been done with a saw or chisel.

Quilts and blankets were taken from the Kohen stock and used as mufflers and as screens to shut off view from the street.

Missing nearly eight weeks the body of George Pfitzenmayer, 45-years-old, an employe of the Independent Brewing Company, of Cumberland, Md., was found yesterday frozen to a tree along the Potomac opposite the tin mill in South Cumberland. The head was frozen so tight to the tree that instruments had to be used to force it loose. Pfitzenmeyer disappeared last Friday night.

FIGHT AT WEDDING

Father of Greek Bride Tries to Clear House of Guests.

Newport News, Va, Feb. 12—An echo of a big Greek wedding, which took place Sunday in the home of John Mitchell, 214 Twenty-fifth St., and in which Miss Evinia Francisco, daughter of Stavro Francisco, and William Pappos, proprietor of a restaurant, were the principals, was heard in the police court yesterday when Francisco appeared on a charge of being disorderly. He was fined $7.50.

It seems that Francisco's daughter was not wedding the man of her papa's choice, and when the food and wines were being consumed at the wedding feast that night, Francisco became irate and started to clean out the house.

John Mitchell invoked the strong arm of the law in the person of a passing patrolman and the father was subdued The father broke out a second time and was subdued again But that was not enough. He started a row a third time and was locked up.

Mr. Mitchell was charge d'affairs for the ceremony, providing the wedding feast of both food and drink in plenty, and had his home beautifully decorated for the occasion.

Practically the entire Greek population of Newport News, with several out-of-town Greeks and several Anglo-Saxons, were present.

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH.

Petersburg, Va. Feb. 12—Puss Johnson, a colored woman who had been paralyzed, was burned to death yesterday morning at her residence on Federal street. The unfortunate woman had been left alone by other occupants of the house and during their absence the fire, of unknown origin, occured. A colored boy discovered the fire and rushed into the house to assist the unfortunate woman, but was driven back by the flames.

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